

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: LUTZ

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For: Grinding Machine

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits of this application and prior to calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 3, line 1, delete "or 2".

Claim 4, line 1, delete "one of the claims 1 to 3" and insert --claim 1--.

Claim 5, line 1, delete "one of the claims 1, 2 or 4" and insert --claim 1--.

Claim 6, line 1, delete "one of the claims 1 to 4" and insert --claim 4--.

Claim 7, line 1, delete "one of the claims 1 to 6" and insert --claim 4--.

Claim 8, line 1, delete "one of the claims 1 to 6" and insert --claim 4--.

Claim 9, line 1, delete "one of the claims 1 to 6" and insert --claim 4--.

Claim 10, line 1, delete "one of the claims 1 to 9" and insert --claim 1--.

Claim 12, line 1, delete "one of the preceding claims" and insert --claim 1--.